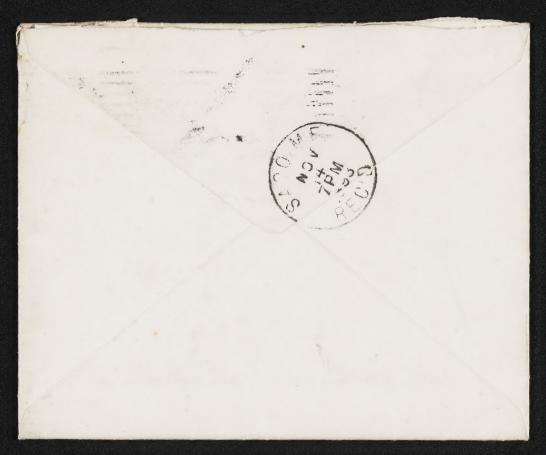


Mr William L. Firsh

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Tuesday morning My dear Will: I have pist had your letter, and I will leave Fortland for Laco tomorrow [Trednesday] at 5.15 P.M. I have been expecting a word from you for some days, and I was thinking you mught be sich! I de not know how Bina will get on without me. Did I tell you Fred has a coon in the Thurston's cage. I never dans one before.

Triday morning, but larah is fring had their be Southand Mother

Aunt Jarah is rother nervous about my going, and wishes the lould go how. I wish you could see how comical fack is with the Coon. The thinks he owns him and of celo if any body meddles with the cage. I would start to day if I thought you and get this letter in time. I am afraid on shall, have a storm lomogran, Mowen if the storm should be very fact on treduceday I will go with you on

